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## AROUND the TOWNSHIP

Boys will be boys, even when they grow up. An alleged exchange of punches by two guests at the Masonic Home, brought on by an argument over gardening rights, resulted in a charge of battery against Charles Beal, 72, by E. L. Hazard, 75, the two to appear before Judge J. A. Silva at the Niles Justice Court this afternoon.

Beal appeared at court Tuesday and pleaded not guilty. He was released on his own recognizance.

Art for art's sake will be the slogan of the Niles Workshop Guild next Thursday night when members try a little fancy painting on the guns in front of the fire hall. James Cull and Clarence Crane have charge of the project.

After their exertions, members will adjourn to the home of Louis Mayer for a meeting.

Politics today is a slow business. With the primary election a scant 25-days away, nothing has warmed up but the weather. From the quiet noise the huge majority of the candidates are making the average citizen doesn't know who's who or why. How can he be expected to vote intelligently on Aug. 30?

Fewer deer are reported bagged for the first of the season this year than last.

However, a peep into the dozen or so cold storage boxes about the township reveals there is venison on a score of township tables. And, those hunters who travel far afield are yet to be heard from.

### MISS WILDA DAVIS WILL BE MARRIED TOMORROW NIGHT

NILES—Miss Wilda Davis of Oakland, daughter of Raymond Davis of Dos Palos and formerly of Niles, will be married tomorrow night to Arnold Butterfield of Oakland. The ceremony will take place in the garden of the Harmony House in Berkeley at 8 o'clock.

Attending the couple will be Mrs. Lila Rose, matron of honor, sister of the bride, and Miss Ruth Dokru and Mrs. Marvel Tudor as bridesmaids. The best man will be Raymond Butterfield, brother of the groom.

After a week's honeymoon in the south, the couple will reside in Oakland.

### ANNUAL RECIPROCITY LUNCHEON PLANNED FOR SEPTEMBER 13th

CENTERVILLE—Preliminary plans for the annual reciprocity luncheon of the Country Club of Washington Township have been made, according to Mrs. E. A. Ellsworth. The affair will be held on Tuesday, Sept. 13, at 12:30 o'clock in the club house.

Reservations are to be made with Mrs. Franklin Brown and Mrs. Loren Marriott, chairmen of the luncheon committee. Mrs. Frank T. Dusterberry and Mrs. George Coit have charge of the program. Members of the board will act as hostesses.

Presidents of the Alameda County Federated Clubs will be honor guests. Each member may invite one guest.

### DECOTO FOWLS FOUND DECAPITATED

DECOTO—Five chickens and two ducks lost their heads at the home of Carlos Gallegos of 416 8th st., Decoto last Friday night, according to complaint made by Gallegos to Deputy Sheriff Tom Silva. Gallegos found the decapitated heads in his chicken yard early Sunday morning and a search was instituted for the consumers of fried chicken and roast duck that probably resulted from the pillage.

## Business Meeting And Barbecue Will Be Held By Firemen

The next meeting of the Southern Alameda County Firemen's Association will be held at Pleasanton on August 25, according to plans made at a recent executive session. Chief Crawford Letham of Pleasanton, will be host at the barbecue to precede the business meeting.

Report that Livermore has joined the association indicates a membership of approximately 450, the second largest in the state.

Copies of reports on the standardization of equipment for all departments will be mailed to the chiefs and each fireman will acquaint himself with the equipment owned by other departments. This will be of great value in case of a major disaster, firemen say.

It was reported that money had been allotted to the Fairmont Hospital for a new engine.

A test broadcast of fire-fighting skits prepared by the association for local radio programs will be made at the September meeting of the association. Twelve skits have already been prepared under the direction of Chief Tom Lane of Alameda. They deal with actual fires which have occurred in the county recently.

### LICENSE EXAMINER TAKES VACATION

CENTERVILLE—Harry L. Rodrick, senior examiner of the Division of Drivers' Licenses of the Oakland department, is substituting for J. Plunkett at the Centerville Justice Court while Plunkett is on his vacation.

Roderick, a retired Navy officer, is an old friend of Frank Madrugas.

## St. Anthony Fiesta Is Scheduled For San Jose Aug. 25

SAN JOSE—The annual fiesta of St. Anthony will be held at San Jose this month.

This year's celebration will commemorate the seventh annual historical observance in honor of St. Anthony, patron saint, at the Church of the Five Wounds, in San Jose, August 25 to 28. A program of religious and social events has been planned.

A solemn triduum will open the celebration with a religious procession, on the evening of August 25. There will be special sermons and devotions during the three days, concluding with a general communion at 8 and 9 o'clock morning mass August 27.

Archbishop John J. Mitty will preside and preach the panegyric of St. Anthony during the solemn high mass at 11 a. m., Sunday, August 28. The mass will be preceded by a public procession of Portuguese societies, including bands, drum corps and drill teams, with the various queens and maids of honor.

Social activities will include a drama at the Roosevelt High School San Jose, a grand ball in I. D. E. S. auditorium; barbecue, literary program, band concerts and talks by various prominent Portuguese of the State. Dr. Jorda Henriques, consul general of Portugal, will preside during some of the numerous festivities.

### LOCAL WOMEN AT TEA

NEWARK—Mrs. F. A. Muller, vice president of the San Francisco Presbyterial, was a guest at luncheon at Westminister House in Berkeley on Wednesday. Also attending from here were Mrs. Vernon Brown, Mrs. R. O. Grace and Miss Mabel Poorbaugh.

### DRUIDS WILL HAVE MEETING

CENTERVILLE—The next meeting of the Centerville Grove of Druids will be held on Monday night, August 15.

### ADDITIONAL LIGHTS AT INTERSECTIONS CHECKED TO STATE

NILES—The Alameda County Board of Supervisors are without power to aid in the installation of additional lighting at the intersection of the Niles Canyon road and the main highway, according to a letter received by the Niles Junior Chamber of Commerce this week. Inasmuch as these are both state highways, the matter must be referred to state officials, the letter said.

President Lewis Lewis says that the chamber will take up the matter with the State Highway Department as soon as meetings are resumed in September.

## Sad Rites Are Said For Parents Before Bereaved Children

CENTERVILLE—Stalwart farmers and working men wept unashamed as ten children of Edward and Carrie Neves stood beside the caskets which held the bodies of their parents at the Chapel of the Palms last Saturday afternoon.

The mother, murdered, and the father, a suicide, according to reconstruction of the tragedy by officers, were given joint services at the chapel and the mother was interred at the Holy Ghost cemetery Saturday afternoon. The father was buried at the Odd Fellows cemetery at Irvington Sunday morning.

The eleventh child, Milton, was unable to be at the funeral as he is confined to the San Jose hospital where he was taken on last Thursday, the day of the fatal shootings. He is suffering from a serious infection of the hand.

Hundreds of floral pieces also testified to the sympathy felt for the bereaved children. The chapel was packed to standing room.

The tragedy is thought to have resulted from a quarrel between the couple who had separated six weeks ago after being married 24 years. Officers reconstructing the incident believed that Mrs. Neves had jumped from the car of her husband and he had shot her, then stood over her as he shot himself on the Decoto to Dumbarton Bridge road. His body was lying across hers.

An inquest will be held at the Chapel of the Palms.

Surviving children are Mrs. Mildred Dias, Mrs. Thelma Roderick, Mrs. Lucille Silva, Bernice, Donald, Shirley, Eugene, Milton, Edward, Jr., Herman and Ruth Neves.

### JUNIOR CHAMBER SETS DANCE DATE

NEWARK—Plans for the annual dance of the Newark Junior Chamber of Commerce were made at this week's meeting. The dance will be held at the Swiss Park on October 1 and V. Tuchen has charge of arrangements.

Ray Truscott reported that a series of meetings were being held to train leaders of Newark's new Boy Scout troop.

### CLUB PLANS BASS DERBY NEXT MONTH

CENTERVILLE—Plans for the annual bass derby to be held in September were made at this week's meeting of the Centerville Sportsmen's Club, according to Allan Walton.

The program consisted of motion pictures shown by Jack Greeley and stills in natural color by President Walton.

### COLLECT SWEETS FOR MASONIC HOME

DECOTO—Gifts of jams and jellies to the Masonic Home at Decoto are being collected by Semper Fidelis Chapter, O. E. S. at Livermore. Mrs. W. M. Woodward, worthy matron, is in charge.

### HAYWARD VISITORS ARE IN NILES

NILES—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wethers of Hayward spent the week end with Mrs. William H. Ford at Niles.

## Township Invited To Take Part In Pleasanton Fiesta

Prominent citizens and organizations of Washington Township have been invited by Fiesta Director Ernest W. Schween to participate in the fourth annual Fiesta del Vino at Pleasanton, August 6 and 7. This colorful event, has been an outstanding attraction in Central California the past few years.

Again, it will revive the old Spanish Days—again, will live the dons and their lovely ladies and, as in the past, there will be music and dancing.

The fiesta opens on Saturday evening at 6:30 with Kiddies Parade and at its conclusion will be presented a kiddies revue. Then an hour band concert will entertain after which the opening fiesta program will take place. There will be special music, the coronation of the queen and a historical address by an outstanding Californian.

The official opening of exhibit halls takes place at 7 o'clock, the carnival swings open at the same time and after the coronation program the special concessions will be opened.

On Sunday morning the program will open with the colorful fiesta parade at 10:30. Immediately following will be the reception for distinguished guests and mayors of cities. At 1:30 o'clock the afternoon's series of special entertainment will open with a band concert. A reception for old timers, former residents and descendants of early day families will be held at the Woman's Improvement Club rooms in the City Hall. In the evening at 7 o'clock a Spanish extravaganza will be presented to which the public will be invited without charge.

### FEWER DEER TAKEN IN LIVERMORE HILLS FIRST OF SEASON

More than 300 hunters were in Southern Alameda County hills on the first day of deer season. Monday, according to an estimate by Game Warden Fred Rogers. Twenty-five carcasses were hung in Washington Township butcher shops and ice houses as a result of the first day's hunt, this number being slightly lower than last year's.

Only 20 hunters came out of the Livermore hills Monday night, Deputy Game Warden Frank Florio reported. Most of the ranches in this section were posted against hunting due to the extreme fire hazard of this year.

### EARLY HUNTERS GET BOOTY

NILES—Among the first to report bagging of bucks in the near hills Monday on the opening day of deer season were Deputy Tax Assessor Marston Dassel, Al Vieux and Jack Dewey of Niles. Gene Luna of Decoto brought in a 100-pound forked horn from a half mile back of the Masonic Home.

### CROWD OF SEVERAL THOUSANDS ATTEND HOLY GHOST FIESTA

NILES—Several thousand people attended the third annual Holy Ghost fiesta of the Niles S. E. S. on last Saturday and Sunday. Delegations from a dozen or more cities were present in the parade on Sunday morning with drill teams from Mission San Jose, Alvarado, Hayward, Newark, Santa Clara and Richmond participating. The affair opened with fireworks and dancing Saturday night, parade, barbecue and dancing on Sunday. Anna Marie Rose of Decoto was queen of the festival and her maids were Delinda Alves and Adeline Saferno. Officers of the celebration were Frank Davilla, Tony Ferriera, Tony Andrade and Manuel Oliveira.

### SCHOOL BOY IN HOSPITAL

NILES—Lawrence Perez, 13, underwent an operation at the Alameda Sanitarium Tuesday night and is reported recuperating satisfactorily by his physician, Dr. E. C. Dawson.

## Institute Honors Winning Delegates At Local Meeting

NILES—Members of DeGualupe Institute of Y. L. I. who won distinction for the local institute at the recent convention at Santa Cruz were honored guests at a meeting here last night.

Mrs. Marguerite Crane, elected grand organizer, and the following who participated in the parade where they won first prize for the float entered by DeGualupe, were honored guests last night: Mrs. Mildred Brown, Mrs. Evelyn Leonard, Miss Tillie Janerio, Miss Marie Pearce, Miss Mary Azevedo and Miss Isabel Azevedo.

Members of the local institute were jubilant at the two honors which fell to their organization and a large delegation attended the public installation of Mrs. Crane in Santa Cruz. The organization is considered one of the largest and most active in the state.

At the recent public installation of Noel Institute in Oakland, Mrs. Crane was installing officer. She was assisted by Lucille Alves, Mrs. Lawrence Avilla, Mrs. James Nunes and Mrs. John Santos.

### NEWARK WILL NAME FIRE COMMISSIONER

NEWARK—Recommendations will probably be made early next week to the Alameda County Board of Supervisors regarding an appointee to fill the unexpired term of Herbert W. Fuller, commissioner of the Newark fire district.

The deadline for reception of bids for the new fire hall was Wednesday night but these will probably not be opened until the return of J. D. Silva who is expected home Saturday from a vacation trip to Mendocino county.

## Announce Vacation Bible Schools Will Open In Ten Days

NEWARK—All children of the township are invited to attend the vacation Bible schools to open on Aug. 15, at the Newark, Centerville, Irvington and Alvarado churches. Definite hours for classes will be announced later.

Rev. and Mrs. Vernon Brown will have general charge of the schools. They will be assisted by Mr. and Mrs. Carter McKemy and volunteer workers. The McKemys will return home from a vacation trip to Texas within a week or ten days.

Mrs. Brown returned this week from Willows. Mr. Brown is teaching at Camp Kent where Ruby is enrolled in the intermediate department. Ruth is visiting in Los Angeles.

### SOFT BALL GAME IS SCHEDULED

NEWARK—The Newark Sportsmen's Club will meet the Colored Giants in a softball game at the grammar school grounds Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

The next meeting of the sportsmen will be held on Aug. 16. The organization will enter a float in the Fiesta del Vino parade on Sunday at Pleasanton. President Joe Machado is making arrangements.

### WILL CONTINUE CHURCH ENCAMPMENT

IRVINGTON—Definite decision to keep the annual encampment of Latter Day Saints at the property in Irvington was made during the 10-day session which closed here last Sunday.

Approximately 500 were present on the closing day. One family from Hawaii attended. Bishop Burdick of Sacramento had general charge of the encampment.

### OFFICER HAS RADIO OUTFIT

CENTERVILLE—Highway Patrolman Duffey Lewis is riding his new motorcycle equipped with radio receiving set. It's going to be just that much worse for traffic violators.

### RESUME SERVICES SUNDAY AT NILES VETERANS' BUILDING

NILES—Preaching services for the Niles Congregational Church will be resumed next Sunday morning by the pastor, Rev. R. C. Day, at the Veterans' Memorial Building. Sunday School classes will be held as usual, having continued throughout the summer under the direction of Mrs. Fred Duffie.

Plans for the new church are being revised and are expected to be completed soon, according to trustees.

Mrs. Day, wife of the pastor, who has been ill at the home of relatives in Oakland, is reported slightly improved.

## Los Caballeros To March Sunday In Pleasanton Parade

Emphasizing once more the romantic historic background of this section, a group of prominent Southern Alameda County and Bay section business men have organized Los Caballeros at the Castlewood Country Club and will make their first public appearance in the parade next Sunday morning at the Fiesta del Vino at Pleasanton.

Congressman Albert E. Carter is "el presidente" and was host to the group at breakfast at his home at Pleasanton last Sunday morning following the weekly ride. He was presented with a pair of leather gauntlets from Mexico City as an accessory to his frontiersman costume adopted by the club for all meetings.

The group is also planning the Fiestas del Toro or feast of the bull to be held in the picnic grounds of Castlewood sometime this month. Golf on Saturday will be followed by ceremonies in the grove when the "bull" will be buried, and on Sunday after the weekly early Sunday morning ride, a barbecue for members and friends will be served in the grove.

All guests will wear ranch costumes and according to invitations which have been sent out there will be plenty of "bull", entertaining as well as edible.

Los Caballeros was organized several weeks ago with the intent of reviving the old Spanish social custom of riding from ranch to ranch to partake of the hospitality of wealthy landowners, ranchers and cattlemen. The first trek was to the historic adobe, former hangout of the bandit, Joaquin Murietta, on the Baldwin Ranch with Senator Ray Bergstrom as host. Sixteen members include socially prominent business men of Southern Alameda County and the Bay section.

### FIRE CHIEFS OF COUNTY TO COMPLETE ORDINANCE DRAFT

CENTERVILLE—All chiefs and assistant chiefs of fire departments in unincorporated areas in Alameda County will meet at Centerville next Wednesday to put the finishing touches to the county fire ordinance which has been promoted by the Alameda County Firemen's Association for the past two years. When the final form is decided upon the supervisors will be asked to adopt same.

This ordinance will give firemen jurisdictional rights in preventing and eliminating fire hazards. Alameda County is said to be the only county in the state which does not have such an ordinance. Assistant Chief Frank Madrugas is chairman of the committee.

### ROTARY DIRECTORS HAVE MEETING

NILES—Directors of the Niles Rotary Club met at the office of E. F. Glassbrook Wednesday night to outline plans for the year's work.

### NEWARK MAN GETS BUCK

NEWARK—Louis Calderia brought in a fine buck from the hills Tuesday morning.

## Prominent Pioneer Of Newark Vicinity Claimed By Death

NEWARK—Walter Wyatt, one of the prominent citizens of Washington Township and identified with the early development of Newark, passed away at his home shortly before midnight Wednesday after an illness of three months.

He was 70 years of age and had resided here for 30 years. He was born in Yountville, Napa County, Feb. 22, 1868, of early pioneer California and Tennessee parentage. He was the son of the late William Wyatt who came to California in the early fifties from Nashville, Tennessee.

Enroute West, William Wyatt lived for a while in Missouri, and married Keziah Grigsby, daughter of Captain John Grigsby of Napa county who took part in the Bear Flag Rebellion when California was taken away from General Vallejo to become a republic. He later operated a store at Ruthford.

Walter Wyatt was one of the oldest Democrats in Alameda County and was a member of the Washington Township Democratic Club. He was one of the founders of the Newark Chamber of Commerce and was also affiliated with the Centerville Lodge of Masons, the United Artisans, the St. James Men's Club, the Order of Eastern Star and the Order of Railway Employees.

For many years he was station agent at Newark for the Southern Pacific and retired a year ago last April after 42 years of service.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Elva Wyatt and two children, Mrs. Laurena Wyatt Tomez of Oakland and a son, William Wyatt of Newark.

Services will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Chapel of the Palms with inurnment at the Chapel of the Chimes, Oakland. Rev. W. J. Atwood and the Centerville Lodge of Masons will have charge.

### GETS \$75 FINE FOR ILLEGAL DEER

NILES—William F. Nething of 299 Payne ave., San Jose, pleaded guilty to illegal possession of deer meat and was fined \$75 by Judge J. A. Silva at the Niles Justice Court.

Nething admitted to County Game Warden Fred Rogers who checked his car near Sunol that he had killed a doe. The hindquarters and liver of a deer were found in his car when searched.

### DRUNK DRIVING CHARGE NETS 30 DAYS

NILES—Admitting that they had consumed 15 or more bottles of beer, Robert Esparza, 38, of 38 West Market st., Stockton and Leon Clemente of 38 South Commerce st., Stockton, appeared before Judge J. A. Silva at the Niles Justice Court yesterday morning.

Esparza was charged with driving while drunk and is serving 30 days in the county jail in lieu of a \$90 fine. Clemente, his passenger, was sentenced to five days in jail in lieu of a \$20 fine.

Arrest was made on the Alvarado-Centerville road early yesterday morning by Deputy Sheriff H. S. Kelsey.

### MUSICAL PROGRAM AT ROTARY CLUB

NILES—A musical program was given at yesterday's meeting of the Niles Rotary Club by two cousins of Rotarian Clark Griffin. Mrs. Gilmore Duncan, music instructor at Shandon high school, gave violin numbers accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Lewis Wiedmann of Cupertino.

### VACATIONING IN OREGON

NEWARK—Miss Anna Fyffe and her mother are spending their vacation in Oregon.

### VISIT AT MT. LASSEN

NEWARK—Mr. and Mrs. Muller have returned home from a visit to Mt. Lassen.



## Irvington Items

## FIREMEN HAVE SOCIAL MEET

Al Monese had charge of a social meeting of the Irvington Fire Department Monday night.

## VACATION FOR MONTH IN IOWA

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Williams and family are spending a month's vacation in Iowa with relatives.

## COUPLE MARRY IN RICHMOND

Miss Louise Viera and Fred Kahlmoos were united in marriage last Saturday in Richmond. Kahlmoos is employed at Corey's Gar-

age here. The couple are residing at the Costa apartments following a short honeymoon.

## CONCLUDE VACATION IN OREGON

Mr. and Mrs. George Beardsley have been vacationing in Oregon.

## GUESTS FROM SAN FRANCISCO

Mr. and Mrs. Al Dowdy and daughter of San Francisco spent the week end here with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lewis.

## SEE SANTA CLARA GAME

Mrs. Isabel Dutra, Evelyn Bettencourt, Rose and Evelyn Marshall, Irma Dutra, Tony Dutra and Joseph George attended the base-

bal game in Santa Clara Tuesday evening between Franco's Market and the Colored Ghosts.

## PRESENT AT McADOO MEETING

Postmaster and Mrs. M. C. Joseph were of the many who attended the Democratic meeting for McAdoo at Hayward Friday evening.

## VISITS HERE SEVERAL WEEKS

Miss Betty Wehren of San Francisco has been spending several weeks here with friends.

## ATTEND JOINT INSTALLATION

A number of Irvington folks were present at the installation of officers of the Native Sons and Daughters last Friday evening at the Country Club in Centerville.

## BACK HOME FROM HOSPITAL

Andrew Costa, Jr. returned on Sunday from the San Jose Hospital after undergoing an operation for mastoid on Friday.

## GUESTS SUNDAY IN SAN JOSE

Postmaster and Mrs. M. C. Joseph visited in San Jose Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. Burley at a garden party.

## WEEK END AT PIGEON POINT

Mr. and Mrs. George Enos and family spent the week end at Pigeon Point.

## IMPROVING DURING ILLNESS

Mrs. Mary Santos has been confined to her bed due to illness.

She is reported to be improving.

## PRESENT AT NILES FIESTA

A number of Irvington people attended the Niles Holy Ghost Fiesta on Sunday.

## Decoto Doings

## FORMER RESIDENT VISITOR HERE

Miss Christina Anderson, former Decoto resident, visited with friends here on Thursday.

## SPEND WEEK AT CATALINA

Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Joseph are enjoying a week's vacation at Catalina.

## GUEST FROM WARM SPRINGS

Miss Dolores Vargas of Warm Springs spent a few days with Mildred Millina.

## EXPECTED HOME FROM OAKLAND

Mrs. Emily Walker, who has been confined to a rest home in Oakland for quite some time, is expected to return home this week.

## COLMA MAN VISITS RELATIVES

Frank Zwissig of Colma visited with friends and relatives here.

## BAGS DEER OPENING DAY

Harry C. Searles was among those who spent the first day of the season deer hunting.

## SPEND WEEK NEAR RUSSIAN RIVER

Manuel and Joe Seoane, Ralph

Leira and Tony Dutra have returned home from a week's vacation spent near the Russian River.

## ENJOY OAKLAND BOXING CARD

Tony Amaral, Jim Fine and Manuel Muniz attended the fights at the Oakland Auditorium on Wednesday night.

## GONE OVER WEEK END

Carl Zwissig spent the week end near Weed.

## ENTERTAIN RELATIVES FROM ISLANDS

John Fletcher is entertaining his sister and her son, who are visiting here from the Hawaiian Islands.

## ENJOY VACATION AT SPRINGS

Mrs. A. L. Costa and children are enjoying a two week's vacation at Richardson Springs.

## SPEND DAY AT MONTEREY

Mr. and Mrs. John Enos, Jr. and children, Mrs. Mary Sequeira and daughter, Ida and Eddie Francis of Oakland, spent Sunday at Monterey.

## RETURNS TO ZWISSIG DAIRY

Joe Zwissig, who has been employed at Oakley for quite some time, has returned to the Zwissig Bros. Dairy here.

## ENTERTAIN MILPITAS GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Peixoto of Milpitas were visitors here on Friday evening.

## MUSICKS BACK FROM FISHING

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Musick have returned home from a two weeks fishing trip on Smith river.

## CELEBRATE SIXTH ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Perry celebrated their sixth wedding anniversary here recently.

## NEWMAN VISITORS HERE TUESDAY

Willy and Joe Souza of Newman visited at the home of Mrs. Mary Sequeira here on Tuesday.

## ATTEND HOLY GHOST FIESTA

A large number of Decoto residents enjoyed the Holy Ghost celebration held at Niles over the week end.

## Alvarado Shorts

## CHURCH TO GIVE WHIST PARTY

The St. Ann's church will give a whist party on Saturday night, Aug. 21, in connection with the annual St. Anne's Festival to be observed on Sunday, August 22. The card party will take place at the I. D. E. S. Hall and arrangements are being made by A. E. Perry, M. P. Goularte and J. Lewis.

## RETURN FROM BROOKDALE

Mr. and Mrs. John Ralph have returned from a vacation spent at Brookdale in the Santa Cruz mountains.

## IN SANTA CRUZ FOR FEW DAYS

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wasley and family have been in Santa Cruz this week.

## HAS OPERATION AT PERALTA

Mrs. Angie Vargas of the Sam Dinsmore store is recovering from an operation performed Sunday at the Peralta hospital in Oakland.

## DINNER TO FETE GRAND OFFICER

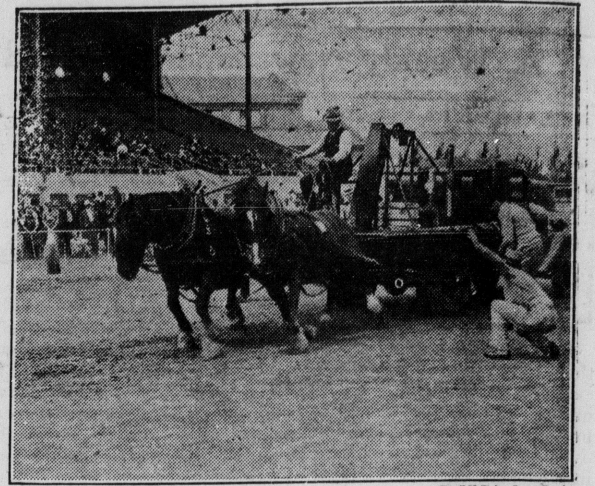
CENTERVILLE—The next regular meeting of Orient Chapter, O. E. S. will be held at the Hayward Masonic Hall where a dinner will be served in honor of the official visit of Worthy Grand Master Mary Isabel Warner and Worthy Grand Patron Robert Easley.

Orient Chapter will be hostess for the joint meeting of chapters from Hayward, San Leandro, Elmhurst and Centerville. Mrs. Laura Orelli, worthy matron of the local chapter, has charge of arrangements.

## NEW THEATRE IS OPENED AT BRENTWOOD

NILES — Announcement was made this week of the opening of the new Delta Theatre in Brentwood by Charles E. Peterson and W. J. Helm, who also operate the Niles Theatre.

## Strength of Horses and Mules to be Measured at State Fair



By C.N.F.A., Inc., Series

The California State Fair dynamometer in action, showing the test of skill and strength needed by entrants in the state-wide horse and mule pulling contest. Finalists for the State Fair, to be held in Sacramento September 2 thru 11, are being chosen from 250 teams entered throughout the state in district fairs and rodeo pulling events. Used to measure the pull of the teams, the dynamometer assures contests as thrilling as any football game for the thousands of spectators who witness the event.

## Centerville Jots

## GETS HIS DEER AT MISSION

Al Silveria brought back a fine buck from the Mission Hills on last Monday.

## WILL RETURN FROM VACATION

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Pimentel and Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Joseph will return Monday from a visit to Catalina Island.

## LIONS WILL HAVE MEETING

The Centerville Lions Club will meet next Tuesday night at the Black and White restaurant, according to President Loren Marriott.

## RETURN FROM MOUNTAINS

Capt. and Mrs. T. O. Oaks have returned from a two weeks' stay at their cabin at Felton Acres and will visit Rio Nido this week.

## VISIT AT FELTON ACRES

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Anderson visited Capt. and Mrs. T. O. Oaks at their cabin at Felton Acres for several days last week.

## VISITOR AT LOWRIE HOME

Mrs. Darrel Traugh and children of Linden are visiting at the home of Mrs. George Lowrie.

## RETURNS FROM VACATION

George Emerson has returned from a two weeks' vacation at his cabin at Paradise Park. The family will remain until the last of the month.

## HAYWARD VISITOR AT COIT HOME

Miss Thelma Smith of Hayward spent the week end with Miss Jean Coit.

## RETURN FROM PACIFIC GROVE

Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Thornburg have returned from a six weeks' stay at Pacific Grove. They spent the week end with Mr. Thornburg's parents at Calistoga.

## RETURN FROM LAKE TAHOE

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Chadbourne have returned from a month's stay at Brockway at Lake Tahoe.

## DECREASE IN SCHOOL FUNDS

A decrease of two cents in the tax rate for the Centerville Grammar School district was reported at a meeting of the board of trustees this week. Although it was to be a public hearing on the budget, no taxpayers appeared.

## RETURNS FROM EASTERN TRIP

Frank T. Dusterberry returned Monday night from an auto trip East which took him to Washington, New York, New Orleans and many points of interest. Good weather, interesting experiences, and "glad to be home" are the comments of Frank.

## ALVISO SCHOOL TRUSTEES MEET

No taxpayers were present at the budget hearing of the Alviso Grammar School district held

Monday night, according to M. P. Rose, clerk of the board of trustees. The tax rate for the year showed a slight decrease from last year's.

## SPEND DAY IN SAN FRANCISCO

Mrs. W. L. McWhirter and son, David, spent Tuesday in San Francisco.

## RETURNS FROM VACATION

Miss Elizabeth Dusterberry returned Saturday from a ten days' stay in Mendocino County.

## TAKEN TO HOSPITAL

Mary Pires was taken to the San Jose hospital Friday in the Chapel of the Palms ambulance and is recovering from an operation.

## RETURNS TO HOSPITAL

Mrs. Nunes who returned home from the San Jose Hospital last week had to be returned in the Chapel of the Palms ambulance this week.

## RATHBONES ON VACATION

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Rathbone are spending a two weeks' vacation at Wright's Lake near Tahoe.

## WILL VISIT IN LOS ANGELES

John Dusterberry will visit friends in Los Angeles prior to opening of high school on Aug. 29.

## Invitations Issued For Approaching Ellsworth Wedding

NILES—Invitations are being mailed this week to more than 200 guests for the wedding of Miss Gertrude Ellsworth of Niles and Mr. John Walter Boylin of Berkeley which has been set for Saturday afternoon, August 27, at three o'clock in the garden of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Ellsworth.

High tea in the garden will follow the ceremony to be performed by Rev. F. V. Jones, neighbor and life-long friend of the bride. The couple will leave immediately for a honeymoon trip after which they will reside in Los Angeles where the groom, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Boylin of Berkeley, is connected with an architectural firm. Miss Ellsworth has chosen as her attendants, Miss Dorothy Grady of San Francisco who will be maid of honor and Misses Nell Boylin, sister of the groom, and Miss Grace Smethers of Oakland, cousin of the bride, as bridesmaids.

Several pre-nuptial affairs have been planned for Miss Ellsworth during the next few weeks.

## ARRANGE FOR ENTRIES IN FIESTA PARADE

NEWARK—Two decorated automobiles and a comic band, led by Joe Machado, will be entered in the Fiesta del Vino parade Sunday at Pleasanton by the Newark Junior Chamber of Commerce, according to plans completed at the regular meeting on Tuesday evening.

The Newark Sportsmen's Club also will be represented in the parade event.

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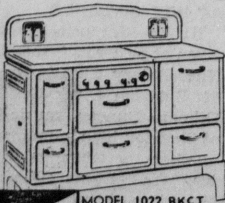
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## IRVINGTON SCHOOL BOND ELECTION NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the electors of Irvington School District of Alameda County, State of California, that in accordance with the provisions of the School Code of the State of California governing such elections, an election has been called to be held, and the same will be held at the place hereinafter designated in said Irvington School District of Alameda County, State of California, on Saturday, the 13th day of August, A. D. 1938, from the hour of one (1) o'clock p. m. of said day until the hour of six (6) o'clock p. m. of said day, during which period of time the polls will be kept continuously open, at which time and place there will be submitted to the electors of said Irvington School District of Alameda County the question whether or not the bonds of said school district shall be issued and sold to the amount of Fifty-two Thousand Dollars (\$52,000.00) bearing interest and payable as hereinafter specified, for the purpose of raising money for:

The building or purchasing of school buildings;  
The making of alterations or additions to the school building or buildings other than such as may be necessary for current maintenance, operation or repairs;  
The supplying of school buildings with furniture or necessary apparatus of a permanent nature; and  
The permanent improvement of the school grounds.

All of the foregoing purposes for which bonds are hereby proposed to be issued and sold are hereby united and shall be voted upon as one single proposition.

The said bonds hereby proposed to be issued and sold will be of the denomination of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00) each and will bear interest at the rate of not to exceed four per cent (4%) per annum, which interest shall be payable annually for the first year said bonds are to run and semi-annually thereafter.

The said proposed bonds and the interest thereon will be made payable in lawful money of the United States of America.

The said proposed bonds are to be numbered consecutively from one (1) to and including fifty-two (52).

That said proposed bonds are to be issued and sold to the amount of Fifty-two Thousand Dollars (\$52,000.00) and are to mature as follows, to-wit:

Three (3) of said bonds shall mature in each of the years from and including 1939 to and including 1944; and four (4) of said bonds shall mature in the year 1955.

That the principal and interest on said bonds will be made payable at the office of the Treasurer of the County of Alameda, State of California.

That for the purpose of said election the said Irvington School District of Alameda County is hereby designated and established by said Board of Trustees of Irvington School District of Alameda County as one election precinct, the boundaries of said school district being the boundaries of said election precinct, and coterminous therewith.

That the polling place herein-after mentioned is hereby design-

nated and selected by the Board of Trustees of Irvington School District of Alameda County as the place within said Irvington School District of Alameda County, State of California, where such election must and will be held.

That the following named persons named as Inspector and Judges of said election are hereby appointed by the Board of Trustees of Irvington School District of Alameda County to act as such officers of said election, and as such will conduct the same; each of said persons being a qualified elector of said Irvington School District of Alameda County, State of California.

That the following is a description of the polling place and a list of the officers of said election above referred to and mentioned:

**Polling Place**  
The first floor of the Irvington School Building, located on the southwesterly side of the State Highway from Centerville to Irvington, approximately six hundred (600) feet northwesterly from its intersection with Center Street in the unincorporated town of Irvington, County of Alameda, State of California, in the said Irvington School District of Alameda County, State of California.

**Officers of said Election**  
Inspector ...Mrs. Lucille Day  
Judges ...Mrs. Elsie M. Soito  
Mrs. Irene Monese  
That said election is to be held in accordance with the provisions of the School Code of the State of California, governing such elections

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands this 18th day of July, 1938.

J. R. Silveria  
E. M. Grimmer  
J. F. Corey  
As and comprising all of the members of the Board of Trustees of Irvington School District of Alameda County, State of California.

Attest:  
J. R. Silveria  
Clerk of the Board of Trustees of Irvington School District of Alameda County, State of California.  
(July 22, 29, Aug. 5, 12)

## WILL HEAR SOON ABOUT NEW THEATRE

CENTERVILLE — Definite reports on the move to establish a theatre in Centerville are expected this week, according to Harold DeLeon, chairman of the local committee. It is understood several motion picture men are consulting local business men on the proposition.

## DENIES HE FORCED CAR OFF ROAD

NILES—Graddie Allen, 21, of P. O. Box 191, San Joaquin, pleaded not guilty to a violation of the county drunk in an automobile ordinance and will be given a court trial at the Niles Justice Court this afternoon. He said he could produce witnesses to prove he never drank.

He is alleged to have forced the car of John Gronley of Centerville off the road causing damage to Gronley's car.

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### DRUG STORE IS ENTERED BY THIEVES

Theft of a few small articles from the Newark drug store on Thursday night of last week was reported. Entrance of the unknown intruders was gained by breaking in the rear door.

### SURPRISE PARTY ON BIRTHDAY

A surprise party was given for Miss Jeanette Silva on the occasion of her twenty-second birthday anniversary on last Friday evening at Silva's hall. The evening was spent in dancing. Refreshments were served and the honoree received many beautiful gifts. About 30 couples attended.

### FIRE COMMISSIONER PASSES AWAY

Herbert Fuller, for whom funeral services were conducted last Friday afternoon at Centerville, served as a fire commissioner in Newark for 20 years. He was a member of the Alameda County Firemen's Association and the Molders Union of Newark.

### DEPARTMENT ANSWERS THREE ALARMS

The Newark Fire Department was called out at 3 a. m. on Wednesday of last week and again at 10:30 a. m. the same day to extinguish grass fires. Another call was answered Friday afternoon for a similar blaze. No damage was reported.

### WOMEN ATTEND DISTRICT MEETING

Mrs. Emma Collins and Mrs. Lena Bertilotti of Newark attended the Golden Gate district meeting of the Women of the Moose in Santa Cruz Sunday with Santa Cruz chapter as hostesses. Mrs. Bertilotti, who is past senior regent of the district, had charge of the meeting during initiation of candidates.

After the initiation the meeting was taken over by District Senior Regent Blanche Hirsch of Salinas. Splendid reports were given by all district chairmen.

Grand Senior Regent Eva Johnson of Washington, D. C. will make her official visit to the Bay District in August. Oakland Chapter will be honored August 10, San Francisco Chapter August 11, San Jose Chapter August 12.

The state conference will be held in Santa Barbara August 17 to 20.

### CHIEF PASHOTE ATTENDS MEETING

Chief Pashote attended an executive meeting of the Alameda County Association of Firemen on last Wednesday evening at Chief Frank Sandy's fire house in Oakland.

### SPEND FEW DAYS IN SAN FRANCISCO

Mr. and Mrs. Ed White spent a few days last week in San Francisco.

### MISS BROWN IS RECOVERING

Miss Mary Brown of Arden is convalescing satisfactorily.

### CAMPBELLS RECENT VISITORS HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Campbell of Omaha were recent visitors at the R. B. Cooper home.

### MRS. SAYLES STAYING WITH MOTHER

Mrs. Frank Sayles has been staying at Palo Alto with her mother, Mrs. Lizzie Vandervoort, who is in a serious condition with paralysis.

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### VACATIONS IN MOUNTAINS

Miss Cleo Cooper is vacationing in the Santa Cruz mountains.

### SPORTSMEN WIN AND LOSE

The second team of the Newark Sportsmen's Club defeated Sunnyvale last Wednesday 8 to 6. On Sunday Chief Pashote's team defeated the Sportsmen 10 to 9 in a one inning ball game.

The Sportsmen's Club will play the Colored Ghosts here Sunday.

### SWISS PICNIC HELD SUNDAY

A Swiss picnic was given last Sunday at Swiss Park by the Swiss cheese factory of San Francisco. Many people attended.

### GROUP SPEND SUNDAY FISHING

George May, Sr., Donald Dias, George May, Jr., Fred Smith and Eugene Sullivan spent Sunday bass fishing at San Pablo Bay. Sullivan caught fish ranging from 3 to 8 pounds. Dias caught a 13 pounder, while others caught many small fish.

### MARSHALL MOVES TO ASH ST.

Henry Marshall moved last Saturday to Bill Graham's home on Ash street, after living on Magnolia street.

### SPEND WEEK AT SANTA CRUZ

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Weber, Bill Katzber, Bernice Weber, Francis Geragoni, Karl Nordvik along with other friends spent the week end at Santa Cruz.

### MRS. LAIDLAW AT GELISPIES

Mrs. Laidlaw of Porterville, mother of Mrs. Gelispie, is spending two weeks vacation here.

### COLLINS AT COURTLAND

Mr. and Mrs. James Collins and daughter, Patty Ann and Julia Ruschin spent the week end at Courtland.

### SPEND SUNDAY AT SANTA CRUZ

Gerald Dutra of Centerville and Roseline Pedro of Newark spent Sunday in Santa Cruz.

### VISITORS AT NEPTUNE BEACH

Mr. and Mrs. Bolyard and Darlene and Betty Jane Steinhoff spent Sunday at Neptune Beach.

### MEN AT MONTEREY THURSDAY.

J. F. Silva, Joe Lewis and Joe

Escobar spent Thursday at Monterey.

### SILVAS HAVE S. F. GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. Ducharm from San Francisco spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Silva.

### HOME FROM CLEAR LAKE

Mr. and Mrs. Tuchen returned home Saturday after spending a week's vacation at Clear Lake.

### RETURNS FROM REDWOOD CITY

Darlene Bolyard returned home on last Wednesday after spending a week at Redwood City.

### MILLER BACK HOME AGAIN

James J. Miller Jr. returned home Sunday, after spending five months at Del Valle Farm.

### VISIT/RELATIVES IN S. F.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Martel and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Maciel spent Sunday visiting relatives in San Francisco.

### WOMEN ATTEND JOINT INSTALLATION

Miss Lida Francis, Miss Julia Ruschin, Miss Victoria Meneze, Mrs. Lena Bertilotti and Mrs. Violet Manley of Newark attended a joint installation of the Noel Institute Y. L. I. and Y. M. I. in Oakland Thursday evening. After installation, entertainment and dancing was enjoyed by all.

### GROUP AT SANTA CRUZ SUNDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Bertilotti and family and Mrs. Emma Collins of Newark, Mr. and Mrs. George Smith and family of Decoto spent Sunday in Santa Cruz and attended a barbecue at Sycamore Park.

### FRANK OVERACKER HONORED AT PARTY

A birthday party was given Saturday evening at Butler's Hotel honoring Frank Overacker who

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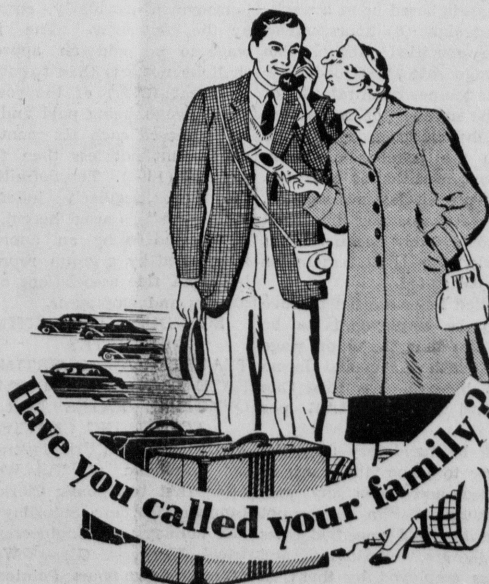
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celebrated the reaching of his seventy-fourth milestone. Following dinner dancing was enjoyed by the 60 persons present, who left many handsome gifts for the honoree.

### FIRST TEAM PLAYS TWO GAMES

The first team of the Newark Sportsmen's Club defeated the Knights of Columbus, 3 to 1, on Wednesday and were defeated by San Leandro, 5 to 2, on Saturday evening of last week.

### DRUNKENNESS BRINGS FINES TO FOUR

NILES—A total of \$70 in fines was assessed in Judge J. A. Silva's justice court in four cases of drunkenness.

Emiliano Villalobos paid a fine of \$30 and his companion, Jesse Mallory received \$20 fine or 10 days in jail. Manuel Valencia and Amado Neito each were fined \$10.

## Dead Stock Wanted

WANTED—All kinds of live stock. Dead stock removed on short notice. General hauling. Corner Third and F streets, near school. Manuel Pementel. Phone 155. Niles.

### FIGURES GIVEN ON MOSQUITO BUDGET

The budget estimate for the Alameda County Mosquito Abatement District is reported as \$54,535 for the fiscal year, according to Dr. Mark L. Emerson, president. The board of supervisors will report on the matter at an early date.

### GIVE REPORT ON RECENT CONVENTION

ALVARADO—Reports of the recent S. P. R. S. I. convention in Oakland were given last week by Anna Amaral and Edith Mello at the Alvarado lodge.

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plane, new as tomorrow, the other in a washboard clipper, out-  
dated as 1920's baseball scores.

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arouse the world into lusty cheers, the odds are good that it  
will be an American flight which will do the trick again for the  
nth time!

It comes naturally to us. We have the urge to explore new  
realms of adventure in the kingdoms of the sky, the curious in-  
quisitiveness that leads to new discovery and conquest in the  
fields of technology, and a youthful fondness for turning our  
knowledge and ingenuity to speedy account. We want to do it  
first, and do it better, than anyone else.

More often than not, we succeed, for success is one of our  
specialties, too. Like a charm, it crowned the recent feats of  
Hughes and Corrigan, and faithful as a shadow, it crowds at the  
heels of the redoubtable Irishman today as lavish offers of  
every shape and size pour upon his head as wildly as cascades  
of confetti at a New Year's party.

We like a man who does what couldn't be done, and we like  
our heroes modest. As far as America is concerned, Corrigan  
has qualified. May all his landings be happy ones!

### RECORD REGISTRATIONS

With registration now closed for the August 30 primary,  
the figures indicate California will turn out the largest vote in  
history—if all those qualified vote. Which is the paradoxical  
thing about democracies.

Under a dictator where votes seldom change anything,  
nearly everybody votes. Under a democracy where votes  
count, far from the majority votes. And if we fail to keep our  
registration in order, we don't have any vote at all! Which  
is worse.

But politics has ever had its paradoxes. California's cur-  
rent political season is no exception.

The courts have also interjected a paradox of their own  
with their decision in California last week that a person whose  
21st birthday is on August 31 may vote on August 30. One's  
legal birthday arrives a full 24 hours ahead of the natal day—  
that's the legal ruling. While politics rule the waves, para-  
doxes will waive the rules!

### NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN  
that the Board of Trustees of the  
Washington Union High School  
District of Alameda County, Cali-  
fornia hereby calls for sealed pro-  
posals to be delivered to the Clerk  
of said Board at the office of said  
Board in the Washington Union  
High School Building, Centerville,  
California, until Tuesday, the 16th  
day of August, 1938, at 8:00 o'clock  
P. M., at which time and place  
said bids will be opened in pub-  
lic and read aloud for the furnish-  
ing of all labor, materials, mechan-  
ical workmanship, transportation  
and services to be used in the  
erection and completion of a cafe-  
teria building on the grounds of  
the Washington Union High School  
Building located at Centerville,  
California, for the Washington  
Union High School District of Ala-  
ameda County.

These bids shall be presented in  
accordance with the plans and  
specifications for said work which  
are on file at the office of the  
Board of Trustees of the Wash-  
ington Union High School District  
at Centerville, California, and at  
the office of the Architects here-  
inafter mentioned.

On deposit of Twenty-five (\$25-  
00) dollars said plans and speci-  
fications may be had by any pros-  
pective bidder for the work above  
listed on application to the said  
Board of Trustees at its office  
hereinafter mentioned, or at the

office of the Architects, Clark and  
Clark, 310 University Ave., Palo  
Alto, California, and in each case  
shall be returned not later than  
forty-eight (48) hours after the  
time fixed for the opening of the  
bids.

If the plans and specifications  
are not returned to the office of  
the Board of Trustees, or to the  
office of the Architects, within  
the time above specified or are re-  
turned in a mutilated or damag-  
ed condition, the said deposit shall  
be retained by said Washington  
Union High School District as  
agreed and liquidated damages  
for said mutilation or detention  
and will be immediately used for  
the purchase of a new set of  
plans and specifications.

Bidders are hereby notified that  
pursuant to the Statutes of the  
State of California, the Board of  
Trustees of the Washington Union  
High School District of Alameda  
County, California, has ascertained  
the general prevailing rate of  
per diem wages and rates for leg-  
al holidays and overtime work in  
the locality in which this work is  
to be performed for each craft or  
type of workman or mechanic  
needed to execute the contract  
which will be awarded the suc-  
cessful bidder, and that these pre-  
vailing rates were adopted by the  
Board of Trustees of Washington  
Union High School District of Ala-  
ameda County on July 12, 1938, and  
filed with the Clerk of the said  
Board, and are as follows:

Crafts or Types of Workmen	Hours	Prevailing Rate	Hourly
Asbestos Workers	8	\$10.00	\$1.25
Bricklayers	8	10.50	1.75
Bricklayers' Hodcarriers	6	8.10	1.35
Cabinet Workers (Outside)	8	10.00	1.25
Carpenters	8	10.00	1.25
Carpet, Linoleum, and Tile Workers	8	10.00	1.25
Cement Finishers	8	10.00	1.25
Electrical Workers	8	11.00	1.37½
Elevator Constructors	8	11.20	1.40
Engineers, Portable and Hoisting	8	11.00	1.37½
Glass Workers	8	9.68	1.21
Hardwood Floormen	8	10.00	1.25
Housesmiths, Reinforced Concrete or Rodmen	8	10.00	1.25
Iron Workers, Architectural Iron (Outside)	8	10.00	1.25
Iron Workers (Bridge and Structural)	8	12.00	1.50
Engineers - Hoisting	8	11.00	1.37½
Laborers, or all unskilled workmen, except apprentices	8	6.00	.75
Lathers	6	9.60	1.60
Marble Setters	8	10.50	1.31¼
Mosaic and Terazzo Workers	8	10.00	1.25
Painters	7	8.75	1.25
Plasterers	6	9.60	1.60
Plasterers' Hodcarriers	6	8.70	1.45
Plumbers	8	11.00	1.37½
Roofers	8	10.00	1.25
Sheet Metal Workers	8	10.00	1.25
Sprinkler Fitters	8	10.00	1.25
Steam Fitters	8	11.00	1.37½
Stone Setter, Soft and Granite	6	10.50	1.75
Tile Setters	8	11.00	1.37½
Welders, Steam Fitters	8	11.00	1.37½
Welders, Structural Steel Frame on Buildings	8	12.00	1.50
Auto Truck Drivers, 4 yds. and over	8	7.00	.87½
General Teamsters, 1 Horse	8	8.00	1.00
General Teamsters, 2 Horses	8	5.50	.68¾
Truck Crane Engineers	8	6.00	.75
Watchmen	8	13.33½	1.66¾
Power Shovel Operators	8	5.00	.40
Power Shovel Oilers	8	13.33½	1.66¾
Power Tractor Operators	6	7.00	1.16¾
	8	12.00	1.50

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diem wages is based upon a work-  
ing day of eight (8) hours, unless  
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ed by the number of hours consti-  
tuting the working day. When  
less than the number of hours  
hereinabove specified as consti-  
tuting the working day are worked,  
the rate of wages per day shall  
be proportionately reduced but  
the hourly rate shall remain as  
hereinabove stated.

All skilled labor not listed above  
that may be employed is to be  
paid not less than the union wage  
scale for such labor and in no  
event to be paid less than One  
Dollar and 10/100 (\$1.10) per  
hour.

It shall be mandatory upon the  
Contractor to whom the contract  
is awarded, and upon any sub-  
contractor under him, to pay not  
less than the said specified rates  
to all laborers, workmen, and  
mechanics employed by them in  
the execution of the contract.

Properly indentured apprentices  
may be employed upon this work.  
Such apprentices shall be inden-  
tured to the Contractor and shall  
be steadily employed by him and  
shall be paid not less than the  
standard wage paid to apprentices  
under the regulations of the trade  
at which he is employed. An ap-  
prentice shall be employed only  
at the work of the trade to which  
he is indentured. The ratio of ap-  
prentices employed shall not ex-

ceed one apprentice to each five  
journeymen regularly employed  
by the contractor. The initial  
wage to be paid an apprentice  
shall be not less than twenty-five  
per cent (25%) of the journeymen's  
wage being paid and shall  
be increased each six months in  
an amount not less than fifteen  
per cent (15%). The definition of  
the term "regularly indentured  
apprentice," as used herein, shall  
be deemed to be an apprentice  
indentured by a group represent-  
ing bona fide associations of em-  
ployers and employees.

### SCHEDULE OF OVERTIME RATES

TEAMSTER: ALL OVERTIME AT  
RATE OF TIME AND ONE-HALF  
OVERTIME RATES FOR THE  
FOLLOWING CRAFTS:

DOUBLE TIME: Bricklayers, Car-  
pet, Linoleum & Tile Workers  
after first two hours; Clerks and  
Lumber Handlers Saturday P. M.  
and holidays; all Engineers; Elec-  
trical Workers; Glass Workers  
after first two hours; Painters Sat-  
urday, Sunday and holidays; Roof-  
ers Sundays and holidays; Tileset-  
ters; Tilesetters Helpers; Uphol-  
stery Drapers and Shade after  
first four hours. Iron Workers;  
Lathers; Plasterers; Plumbers;  
Sheet Metal Workers after first  
hour and Saturdays, Sundays, and  
holidays; and Steamfitters.

TIME AND ONE-HALF: Carpet,  
Linoleum & Tile Workers first  
two hours; Clerks and Lumber  
Handlers between 5:00 P. M. and  
8:00 A. M. (Double time Sat. P.

M. and holidays); Glass Workers  
first two hours; Painters (double  
time Saturday, Sundays and hol-  
idays); Roofers (Sundays and hol-  
idays double time); Upholstery  
Drapery and Shade first four  
hours; Teamsters and Sheet Met-  
al Workers first hour (double time  
after first hour, and Saturday,  
Sunday and holidays).

LABORERS: Time and one-half  
for first four hours after first  
eight hours and Saturdays 8:00 A.  
M. to 12:00 noon; all time there-  
after, Saturday afternoons, Sun-  
days and holidays included, at the  
rate of double time.

CARPENTERS: Time and one-half  
for first four hours after first  
eight hours. Saturdays, Sundays  
and holidays at the rate of double  
time.

Holidays are New Year's Day,  
Washington's Birthday, Decoration  
Day, Fourth of July, Labor Day,  
Admission Day, Thanksgiving Day  
and Christmas.

DOUBLE TIME FOR ALL  
BUILDING CRAFTS ON SATUR-  
DAYS, SUNDAYS, AND HOLI-  
DAYS UNLESS OTHERWISE  
SPECIFIED ABOVE.

Each bid shall be made on a  
form to be obtained at the office  
of the Board of Trustees of the  
Washington Union High School  
District in the Washington Union  
High School Building, Centerville,  
California, or at the office of the  
Architects, Clark and Clark, at 310  
University Avenue, Palo Alto, and  
must be accompanied by a certi-  
fied check for five per cent (5%)  
of the aggregate amount of the  
bid, excluding alternates, but not  
to exceed Five Thousand Dollars  
(\$5000.00), made payable to the  
Washington Union High School  
District of Alameda County, Cali-  
fornia.

The abovementioned check shall  
be given as a guarantee that the  
bidder will enter into a contract  
if awarded the work and will be  
retained by the said Washington  
Union High School District as  
agreed and liquidated damages  
should the party or parties to  
whom the contract should be  
awarded fail to enter into the con-  
tract after ten (10) days after no-  
tification of the award and to  
give the bonds required for the  
faithful performance of the con-  
tract or any bond required by law.

The successful bidder will be  
required to furnish a labor and  
material bond in an amount equal  
to fifty per cent (50%) of the con-  
tract price and a faithful perfor-  
mance bond in an amount equal  
to one hundred per cent (100%)  
of the contract price, said bonds  
to be secured from a surety com-  
pany satisfactory to the Board of  
Trustees of the Washington Union  
High School District.

A list of such surety companies  
is on file at the office of the  
Board of Trustees of Washington  
Union High School District, at its  
office hereinabove mentioned, in  
Centerville, California.

The Board of Trustees reserves  
the right to reject any or all bids  
or any or all items or any or all  
alternates of such bids and/or  
to waive any informality in a bid.  
No bidder may withdraw his bid  
for a period of 30 days after the  
date set for the opening thereof.

By order of the Board of Trus-  
tees, Wednesday, July 27, 1938  
Centerville, California.

H. F. Harrold  
Clerk of the Board of Trus-  
tees of the Washington Union  
High School District of Ala-  
ameda County, California

Passed and adopted by the fol-  
lowing called vote this 27th day  
of July, 1938.

AYES: Overacker, Harrold,  
Scott, Logan and Oliveira.

NOES: None

ABSENT: None

(July 29, Aug. 5, 12)

WANTED—Rags to use in the  
shop at Township Register.

Model A Genuine Ford  
Factory  
**Motor Exchanges**  
While they last, \$42.50  
(Installation Extra)  
V-8 Ford Motor Exchanges  
including all necessary clutch,  
distributor and carburetor parts  
INSTALLED IN YOUR CAR  
NOW ONLY  
**\$69.50**

**Milt Dohner**  
  
Corner A and Castro Sts.  
HAYWARD  
Sold on **DOHNER'S EASY  
PAYMENT PLAN**

## LEGAL NOTICE

### NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE OF REAL PROPERTY ON EXECUTION No. B-306

P. E. PHELPS, Plaintiff vs. WILL-  
IAM J. RONEY and FLORENCE  
C. RONEY, his wife, Defendants  
By virtue of a Writ of Execution,  
issued out of the Justice's Court of  
the Township of Pleasanton in and  
for the County of Alameda where-  
in P. E. Phelps is Plaintiff, and  
William J. Roney and Florence C.  
Roney, his wife, are Defendants,  
upon a judgment rendered by the  
said Court on the 25th day of May,  
A. D. 1937 for the sum of \$166.20  
in lawful money of the United  
States, besides interest and costs,  
I have heretofore levied upon all  
the right, title, claim and interest  
of William J. Roney and Florence  
C. Roney, his wife, the herein  
named Defendants of, in and to the  
following described Real Property,  
to-wit:

All that certain piece or parcel  
of land, situate, lying and being in  
the Township of Washington, Coun-  
ty of Alameda, State of Califor-  
nia, particularly described as fol-  
lows:

BEGINNING at the fence post  
standing on the left bank of the  
Alameda Creek being the South-  
east corner of land heretofore con-  
veyed by Antonio Sunol to Michael  
Rogan; thence along said Rogan's  
South line North 88½ degrees  
West 17.00 chains to a fence post  
marked "M"; thence 35½ degrees  
East 24.60 chains to an alder tree  
six inches in diameter, thence  
South 31 degrees East 27.00 chains  
pass 4 links East of Live Oak tree  
¾ feet in diameter; thence in the  
same direction 30.80 chains to a  
live oak tree, 10 inches in di-  
ameter, marked "M" standing on  
the right bank of Arroyo las  
Yeguas; thence with the meander-  
ings of said Arroyo downstream,  
viz., North 65½ degrees East 7.35  
chains to a Live Oak Tree 2 feet  
in diameter; South 62 degrees East  
2.00 chains to Sycamore tree 30  
inches in diameter; thence with  
the meanderings of the left bank  
of the Alameda Creek downstream  
as follows: North 29½ degrees  
West 11.90 chains to a White Oak  
stump 15 inches in diameter; thence  
North 10¼ degrees West 12.70  
chains to end of fence; thence  
along said fence North 49½ de-  
grees West 5.90 chains to angle in  
fence; thence leaving said fence  
North 23½ degrees West 14.56  
chains to fence post; thence North  
41½ degrees West 5.07 chains to  
place of beginning.

CONTAINING 59.78 acres of  
land, being Plot "E" on the Map  
accompanying the Referee's Re-  
port in the case of Augustine Ber-  
nal vs. Juan Pablo Bernal, et al,  
in the District Court of the Third  
Judicial District in and for the  
County of Alameda, State of Cali-  
fornia.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby  
given that I will on Saturday the  
sixth day of August A. D. 1938 at  
10 o'clock A. M., of said day, in  
front of the Fallon Street entrance  
of the Court House, of the County  
of Alameda, in the City of Oak-  
land, County of Alameda, State of  
California, sell at PUBLIC AUCTION,  
for lawful money of the  
United States, all the right, title,  
claim and interest of said defend-  
ants William J. Roney and Flo-  
rence C. Roney, his wife, or either  
of them, of, in and to the above  
described real property, or so  
much thereof as may be necessary  
to raise sufficient money to satisfy  
said Judgment, with interest and  
costs, etc.; to the highest and best  
bidder.

Dated: Oakland, Calif.  
July 15, 1938.

M. B. Driver  
Sheriff, Alameda County, Cali-  
fornia.

By H. A. Imanen  
Deputy Sheriff.

Walter T. Nilson  
Attorney for Plaintiff.  
Pleasanton, California.  
(July 15, 22, 29, Aug. 6)

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for improved hearing  
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Old Vintage Wines of the Country  
Booths and Dining Room to  
Accommodate Small and Large Groups  
**PARTY RESERVATIONS SOLICITED**  
**City of Florence Restaurant**  
Phone 144 Niles, Calif.

## GRADUATES OF WASHINGTON HIGH CONTINUE EDUCATION

CENTERVILLE—The following  
graduates of Washington Union  
High School have announced their  
intended enrollment at the Uni-  
versity of California or at San  
Jose State College.

U. C.—May Baba, Charles West,  
Marion Ziegler and Nita Eleanor  
Tagoria.

San Jose—Clarice Niemeth,  
George Nemoto, Jane Stanhope,  
Lawrence Waldr, Jr., and Doremus  
Scudder.

Winifred Bendel will attend the  
College of the Pacific at Stockton  
and Newell Rocha will take a  
business course at Heald's College.  
Lily Yonenaka and Margaret  
Simpson are transferring to Red-  
wood City High School.

### GRAND OFFICERS AT INSTALLATION

CENTERVILLE — Installation  
of officers and the visit of the  
grand president, Mary Gavina,  
marked the recent meeting of the  
Centerville Council No. 19, U. P. E.  
C. Eight candidates were also  
initiated.

Those installed were past presi-  
dent, Mary L. George; president,  
Susie Lewis; vice president, Mary  
Perry; secretary, Mary Caldeira;  
treasurer, Mary Rodrigues; master  
of ceremonies, Mary Bettencourt;  
marshal, Rose Maciel; guard, Lena  
Caldeira; pianist, Emily Bettencourt;  
trustees, Bell V. Silva, Mae  
Mattos and Nina Jasper.

### ATTEND LODGE INSTALLATIONS

NILES—A large delegation of  
Niles Rebekahs and Odd Fellows  
attended the recent Sycamore Lodge  
installation at Hayward. Among  
those present were Messrs. and  
Mesdames William Millett, Fred  
Mitte, William Cull, George Duf-  
fey, James S. Cull, Mrs. Mary  
Rose, Mrs. Lillian Butterfield,  
Mrs. Jean LaCome, Mrs. Eliza  
Kennard, Mrs. Rose Fournier, Mrs.  
Ethel Fournier, John Walters,  
William Paul, H. L. Scott, Morris  
Walker and Milton Fournier, Jr.

### NOTICE OF INTENTION TO ENGAGE IN THE SALE OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES

July 16, 1938

### TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Notice is hereby given that fif-  
teen days after the above date, the  
undersigned proposes to sell alco-  
holic beverages at these premises,  
described as follows:

Restaurant, Niles Hwy. Sunol  
Pursuant to such intention, the  
undersigned is applying to the  
State Board of Equalization for  
issuance of an alcoholic beverage  
license for these premises as fol-  
lows:

On Sale—Beer and Wine

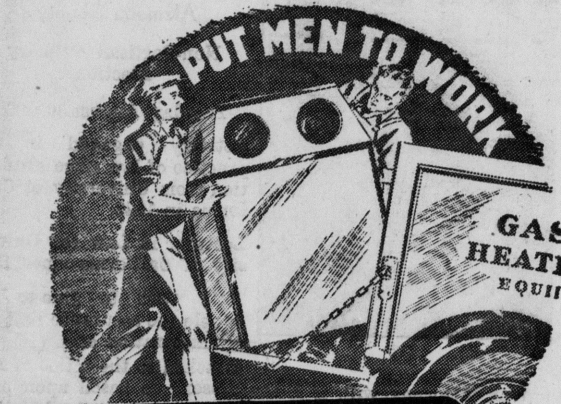
Anyone desiring to protest the  
issuance of such license may file  
a verified protest with the State  
Board of Equalization at Sacra-  
mento, California, stating grounds  
for denial as provided by law.

Beulah Runge

**COMPLETE  
CAR  
WASH  
\$1.00**

**WE CALL FOR  
AND  
DELIVER**

DICK ATTINGER'S  
**UNION SERVICE  
STATION**  
Main and G. Sts., Niles



**LAST CHANCE  
TO SAVE 10%  
ON GAS HEATING EQUIPMENT**

You will find this Summer Discount Sale  
of Gas Heating Equipment easy on your  
purse. Little or no cash down payment is  
required. Monthly payments do not start  
until October 1. You have immediate in-  
stallation and use of the equipment and  
save 10%.

When you buy and install gas heat during  
summer you help keep men employed—  
your installation work will be unhurried  
and equipment carefully adjusted and in-  
stalled. But you will have to hurry—this  
10% Discount offer ends this month. Place  
your gas heat order now and save money.



Light and Shine  
for '39!

SEE YOUR DEALER

**P.G. and E.**  
PACIFIC GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY  
Owned - Operated - Managed by Californians

261-838

**REDUCED GAS RATES  
CUT HEATING COST**



## Niles Notes

LEAVE FOR  
TAHOE

Mrs. Dora Scudder and her son, Doremus, left Monday for a vacation visit at their cabin at Lake Tahoe.

LEAVES FOR  
EAST

Mrs. George Ferry left by train Monday morning for a trip East.

VISITING AT  
CASTLEWOOD

Mrs. Mary Barnard has been visiting at the new home of her son recently purchased at Castlewood Country Club.

SPEND SUNDAY  
AT SANTA CRUZ

Dr. and Mrs. E. C. Grau spent Sunday at Santa Cruz.

MARTINS HOME FROM  
EXTENSIVE TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Martin have returned home from an extensive tour of the Northwest. They visited Crescent City, Oregon caves, Grants Pass, Crater Lake, Portland, Mt. Hood, Seattle, and the Bonnieville and Grand Coulee Dams.

SPEND WEEK AT  
SYCAMORE PARK

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Franklin and Dorothy Fae left Tuesday for a week's stay at Sycamore Park.

OFFICERS RECEIVE  
INSTRUCTIONS

A meeting for the instruction of officers of the different Rebekah lodges comprising District No. 53 was held at Odd Fellows Hall Niles, Friday evening, July 29, under the direction of Lucetta B. Duffey, district deputy president.

BACK FROM  
LONG BEACH

Mrs. R. C. Attinger has returned home from a vacation trip to Long Beach.

REBEKAHS TO VISIT  
ALVARADO LODGE

Niles Rebekah Lodge No. 336 will hold its regular meeting this evening. There will be no social hour, as after the regular business meeting the members will visit Alvarado Rebekah lodge, the oc-

casation being the official visit of Lucetta B. Duffey, district deputy president of District No. 53.

SCOUT OFFICIAL  
GOES TO CAMP

W. T. Lindsay, field executive for the Southern Division of Boy Scouts, left this week for Diamond-O Camp near Yosemite. He was accompanied by Roland Bendel who will remain in camp for two weeks.

BRAUNS GOING  
NORTH

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Braun left this week for a two weeks' fishing and camping trip in the North.

RETURNS FROM  
WASHINGTON

Deputy Sheriff Henry Vervais and Mrs. Vervais returned last week from a two weeks' vacation trip to Washington.

VISITING IN  
LOS ANGELES

Miss Gertrude Ellsworth has been visiting friends in Los Angeles.

TO CAMP AT  
BIG SUR

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Champion and Tommy are camping for a week at the Big Sur.

PRESENT AT  
RECEPTION

Mrs. Lloyd Weaver was among the out of town guests at the sixty fourth wedding anniversary tea given for Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Thane last week.

VISITOR AT  
THANE HOME

Mrs. Bart Thane has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Thane this summer.

VISITING AT  
WRIGHT'S LAKE

Vernon Ellsworth is visiting the Rathbone family at Wright's Lake. He will also visit John Ziegler at Lake Tahoe and will later go to Los Angeles to be the guest of relatives.

ANNOUNCE WHIST  
PARTY FOR AUG. 30

The first whist party announced for the Fall season is that to be given by the Corpus Christi church at the Niles Odd Fellows Hall on August 30. Lilian Scott and

Rose Vieux have charge of arrangements.

SPEND WEEKENDS  
AT CABIN

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Martenstein have been spending week ends at the cabin at Paradise Park.

HOSTESS TO  
CLUB WOMEN

Mrs. C. E. Martenstein, past president of the Country Club of Washington Township, has been entertaining several groups of Bay section club officers during the summer.

SPEND WEEKEND  
IN OAKLAND

Mrs. John Galvin and daughter, Juanita, spent the week end with Mrs. Galvin's mother in Oakland.

RETURNS FROM  
BROOKDALE

Miss Harriet Dias has returned from a stay at Brookdale.

RETURNS FROM  
CAMP

Miss Florence Marie Braun has returned from a stay at the Campfire Girls' Camp in Marin County. Her councillor was Miss Hartley Allen of Oakland.

VISITING IN  
LOS ANGELES

Miss Dorothy Domenici is visiting her aunt in Los Angeles.

WILL GO TO  
YOSEMITE

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Lewis and family will leave next week for a vacation trip to Yosemite Valley

ATTENDS REBEKAH  
LUNCHEON

Mrs. Fern Mitte, treasurer, attended a luncheon meeting of the Past District Deputy Association of Rebekahs at the home of Mrs. Ed Graff in Tennyson Tuesday.

VISITS IN  
SAN FRANCISCO

Mrs. Martha Barker of the Niles Home was a business visitor in San Francisco on Monday.

MRS. RICHMOND  
AT HOME

Mrs. Ralph Richmond returned home last Tuesday after being seriously ill in an Oakland hospital. She is reported to be in excellent health.

WILL VISIT  
IN CARMEL

Harry Green is visiting with friends in Carmel this week.

ENTERTAINS AT  
DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Petsche entertained a few friends at a dinner party this past week.

BIRTHDAY DINNER  
IS SERVED

Harry Green was given a birthday dinner on Saturday by his mother, Mrs. Fern Mitte. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Green, Mr. and Mrs. Morrison Green and Miss Dorothy Bailey of Sacramento.

VISITS FRIENDS  
IN OAKLAND

Mrs. Sibyl Tynan Tucker visited with friends in Oakland on Monday and again on Wednesday of this week.

SAFETY MEASURE  
TO BE ON BALLOT

A certificate showing that the proposed constitutional amendment establishing a Highway and Traffic Safety Commission for California has qualified for a place on the November ballot was issued Monday by Secretary of State Frank Jordan.

The proposed amendment is an initiative measure sponsored jointly by the California State Automobile Association and Automobile Club of Southern California. The measure establishes a Highway

and Traffic Safety Commission in charge of all state highway affairs and all traffic safety activities of the state government, including jurisdiction over the California Highway Patrol.

VETERAN SHERIFF  
AGAIN CANDIDATE IN  
ALAMEDA COUNTY

Listing as legal sponsors a group of men and women widely known in Alameda County civic, business, fraternal and veterans' circles, Sheriff M. B. Driver placed his formal notice of candidacy for re-election on file with the county clerk.

In placing his candidacy before the electorate the sheriff pointed to the absence of major crime in Alameda County; the recent establishment of county wide two way sheriff's radio facilities; the smooth functioning of the county prison farm which has relieved dangerous county jail congestion; and the general efficiency of the sheriff's office as "planks" of the "platform" on which he will again seek support at the polls.

FRIENDS ATTEND  
ANNIVERSARY TEA

NILES—Old friends of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Thane gathered at the family home on the Mission Road last Friday afternoon to celebrate the sixty-fourth wedding anniversary of the couple. Receiving at the tea attended by friends and relatives from the township and the Bay section was Mrs. James R. Whipple, their daughter.

San Leandro Wins  
Second Half Title  
In County League

By Eugene Pashote

NEWARK—Rose Garden Chapel of San Leandro defeated the Pines Valley Brew Tavern of Hayward 1 to 0 in last Sunday's baseball game. This game decided the protest filed at the beginning of the second half of the South Alameda County League and made San Leandro the winner for both halves.

San Leandro may enter the Oakland Tribune tournament in September. Newark placed second in the concluding half.

## Standings

	W	L	Pct
Rose Garden Chapel	5	0	1.000
Newark Merchants	4	1	.800
Decoto Merchants	3	2	.600
Pines Tavern	3	2	.600
DeLano's Cafe	1	4	.200
Hayward Dugouts	0	5	.000

FORMER PUPILS  
FETE MULLER

Former pupils, associates and other friends of Edgar E. Muller, County Superintendent of Schools

and formerly principal of Lakeview and Westlake Schools in Oakland, Florence Heights, Sherman and Franklin Schools in San Diego and Redding Grammar School, Shasta County, gave a testimonial dinner at the Coit Hotel, Thursday, at 6:30.

The arrangements committee included Talbot Kendal of Oakland, Dorothy Osburn of Berkeley, Louise Careton of Berkeley and Vaughn Seidel of Berkeley.

VIVACIOUS LADY  
PASSES OUT GUM

NILES—Miss Betty Bryan of Seattle, Wash., who claims a relationship with the renowned William Jennings Bryan, was in Niles Wednesday and is visiting other towns of the township during the week.

Miss Bryan, in costume, is engaged in traveling up and down the Pacific Coast passing out samples of a well known chewing gum.

## Classified Ads

FOR SALE—6 goats; 2 coming fresh in 4 weeks, 2 milkers, 2 dry; \$35 for all. Also young goats for barbecue. RFD, Box 284, Niles Canyon. 31 1tp

RE-ELECT  
M. B. DRIVER  
SHERIFF



# BIG SALE

## H.C. CAPWELL'S

Started Wednesday, now in full swing!  
It's OAKLAND'S Biggest Sale! Shop Saturday, bring your family, spend the day.



H. C. Capwell's is easily reached. All roads leading into Oakland lead conveniently to Broadway, 20th, Telegraph. Eastbay shoppers find cars 4, 5, 6, 10, 11 and 18 stop at the door, as do buses 51 and 58. Regular shopping hours 9:45 to 5:25.

★ Metropolitan Oakland's most important sale of the year started Wednesday morning—as H. C. Capwell's opened its doors on its Anniversary BIG Sale!

★ 100 departments present a multitude of unusual values—including many special purchases made months ago by H. C. Capwell's buyers.

★ A. M. C. group purchases backed by the buying power of 22 of America's great stores account for many extraordinary savings.

★ 15 carloads of merchandise—22,000 boxes, bundles and cartons have poured through H. C. Capwell's marking room—in preparation for BIG Sale. Scores of items are marked below actual value.

★ Here is a sale of momentous importance... come through the new Broadway Tunnel—come over the new Livermore Pass Highway—come by bus—come by train—but COME to share in these once-a-year savings!

## Here are 14 of the BIG Sale items:

- |   |             |  |      |
|---|-------------|--|------|
| Regular 69c Aimcee Hosiery, pair              | 59c         | Samson Card Tables in BIG Sale                 | 2.98 |
| 4-thread chiffons, 7-thread service weight.   |             | Nine different types in these—extra strong.    |      |
| Women's Red Cross Shoes, pair                 | 5.85        | A. M. C. Consul Wool Blankets, each            | 4.95 |
| Semi-annual event! 200 pairs regularly 6.85.  |             | 7 shades, rayon bound. 70x80. 3 pounds.        |      |
| "Super-Dollar" Chiffon Hose, pair             | 85c         | Crush-resistant Velvet—25 Colors               | 2.29 |
| Regular 1.00. 3 and 4-thread weights. New!    |             | For formals, wraps, costumes. 39-inch.         |      |
| Children's Wellflex Shoes                     | 3.45 3.85   | Women's Smart Fall Blouses                     | 2.49 |
| Bob and Bab shoes. Sizes 8½ to 12. 12½ to 3.  |             | Rayon crepes, satins—dressy or tailored.       |      |
| Men's Brittany Weave Suits                    | 26.75 31.75 | Women's Dainty Linen 'Kerchiefs                | 39c  |
| Famous Broadstreets. Reg. 35.00 and 40.00.    |             | Hand-worked and initialed types. White linens. |      |
| Men's Famous Make Hats                        | 3.95 4.95   | Women's Wool Flannel Robes                     | 5.65 |
| Knox and Dunlap hats—salesmen's samples.      |             | Tailored wrap style and rainbow style. 16-42.  |      |
| Four Types Curtain Panels, each               | 89c         | High Style Leather Handbags                    | 1.85 |
| Rayon, net, and dot panels—closeout patterns. |             | Real leathers, new colors and types. Special   |      |

These And Hundreds More—Your Guide To Real Savings!



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THE difference between a democracy and a dictatorship is not a matter of constitution, parliaments, elections, or a liberal suffrage. Russia, Germany, Italy, and Japan have all these things. The difference lies in the right of the people to oppose their government, to express their own opinions in free speech and through a free press, to change the laws and to elect or defeat candidates for public office. In all of these things there is one essential implement. Only where there is freedom of the press can there be freedom of the people. You and your newspaper may agree or disagree over political policies, issues, or candidates... but in the most important civic purpose you are together. You are partners in sharing the responsibility for keeping America a land of free government and a nation of free people. The independent strength of your newspaper is your pledge that liberty shall continue in America.



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## Music Association By Laws Explained By Head Of Group

NILES—That the prime object for the formation of the Southern Alameda County Musical Association is to sponsor music appreciation and promote inter-community friendship and cooperation in musical, civic, cultural and educational matters was the statement made by President John Kimber following a recent business meeting at which by-laws were adopted.

The association, according to the by-laws, will not only sponsor participation in amateur county musical groups including band, orchestra and chorus, constituting terminal groups open to persons who can play or sing, but will also sponsor such additional activities as chamber music, concert series and any other musical projects approved by the members or by the board of governors.

The by-laws make the following provisions:

Membership in the association is not necessary for participation in band, chorus or orchestra. Those who desire to become members of the association may do so by paying a yearly fee of \$1. Sustaining members will pay \$10 per year. All members have equal voting power.

The annual meeting will be held each May. Eleven members shall constitute a quorum for regular or special meetings. The control of the affairs of the Southern Alameda County Musical Association shall be vested in a board of governors elected by the members and such officers, officials, employees and committees delegated by the board of governors.

There will be 24 governors, six from each of the four communities included—Washington Township, Hayward, Pleasanton and Livermore. These governors will elect the officers of the association. The first board of governors will determine by lot which two shall serve until 1941, which two shall serve until 1940 and which two shall serve until the 1939 annual meeting. Commencing with the 1939 annual meeting and thereafter, only those members of the board of governors whose terms expire in each current year shall be re-elected or their successors elected to serve for a term of three years. Governors will serve without compensation.

Eight of the 24 governors will constitute a quorum. The board may appoint such committees as is deemed necessary to carry on business of the association. It may delegate certain powers to an executive committee to be appointed by the governors from their own number.

The by-laws may be amended by a two-thirds vote of the governors or of the membership.

## DUDE MARTIN AND HIS GANG COMING

NILES—Along with a bang-up run of pictures, the Niles Theatre will on Saturday, August 13, feature a return appearance by popular demand of Dude Martin, in person, on the stage with his Nevada Nite Herders.

The cowboys will appear both matinee at 2 p. m. and in the evening at 6:30 and 9 o'clock on Saturday only.

## Valuation Shrinks On Public Utility Property In State

SACRAMENTO—A valuation of \$990,403,660 was placed on public utility property throughout California in a report submitted to the State Board of Equalization today by A. G. Mott, director of the Board's valuation division.

While the value of tangible property represents a slight increase over the total assessment roll of the previous year, the roll to be submitted to counties for assessment purposes shows a reduction inasmuch as \$11,668,530, representing the value of the rolling stock of private car companies and previously included in the local rolls, now is subject to state taxes only under the Private Car Tax Act of 1937.

As a result of this change, it was explained, the value of tangible public utility property subject to local taxation was placed at \$939,104,700 as compared with \$948,651,280 for 1937. The intangible property was listed as \$39,630,430 as compared with \$55,094,920 the previous year.

In Alameda County the 1937 utility values included intangible property, \$844,100; tangible property, \$64,857,340, as compared with 1938, intangible property, \$233,310; tangible property, \$64,304,710.

## CONDUCT SERVICES FOR FORMER RESIDENT OF ALVARADO TUESDAY

ALVARADO—Dr. Robert Burr, 66, brother of E. W. Burr of Hayward, formerly of Alvarado, was given final rites at the Truman Chapel in Oakland Tuesday morning.

Dr. Burr, Oakland dentist and member of a pioneer San Francisco family passed away at his home in San Leandro following a cerebral hemorrhage. He had practiced in Oakland for the past 15 years and is survived by his widow, Mrs. Zoe R. Burr; a son, Robert Jr., 19; twin daughters, Bonnie and Pattie, 17; a brother, E. W. Burr of Hayward and a sister, Mrs. Julian Holman of Oakland. His grandfather was chairman of the first Board of Supervisors in San Francisco.

## GOLF FRATERNITY STAGES TOURNAMENT AT CASTLEWOOD CLUB

D. R. Burdick of Hayward won first place in the invitational golf tournament at the Castlewood Country Club last Saturday attended by approximately 100 members and guests, according to Dr. T. C. Wilson of Niles, chairman of the tournament committee.

A stag dinner was served following the tournament at which time prizes were awarded to Burdick, Beverly Carlton of Oakland and S. O. Bowles and J. C. Mullins, Jr. of San Francisco.

Among those present were Stuart Hawley, Jr., formerly Northern California golf champion, Stuart Heatley, Ken Gelwick, Elwood Laws, Verne Ewing, J. Gray.

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## STEWART NAMES WILL R. SHARKEY AS HIS CAMPAIGN MANAGER

Appointment of Senator Will R. Sharkey, Martinez newspaper publisher, as his general campaign manager was announced today by Fred E. Stewart, Oakland, who is seeking re-election to the State Board of Equalization from the second district.

"Senator Sharkey, through the experience gained during 22 years of service in the State Senate, has a wide knowledge of the governmental needs of California," Stewart said. "He is thoroughly familiar with my record as an advocate of equitable taxation and the campaign will be conducted on that basis."

General campaign headquarters have been established at 360 Fourteenth Street, Oakland. Stewart also announced that the campaign committee for Alameda County would be headed by Geo. E. Randolph, with John McDonald, Jr. serving as vice chairman.

## MARINE CORPS ACCEPTS RECRUITS

NILES—Postmaster Enos announces that Marine Corps will accept 150 applicants during the month of August. Applicants must be morally and physically qualified, single and without dependents, between the ages of 18 and 30 years and 64 to 74 inches in height.

Application blanks and literature may be obtained at the local post office or by writing to the Marine Corps recruiting station, Room 46, Federal Office Building, San Francisco.

## SCHOOLS TO RECEIVE FIVE MILLIONS FOR COMING FISCAL YEAR

County Superintendent of Schools Edgar E. Muller reports that the superintendent's annual report of average daily attendance has been confirmed by the State Department of Education. State monies for school purposes are allotted on the basis of this report.

The total amount of state funds that will be apportioned to Alameda County is: \$5,373,409.93. \$2,180,939.93 will be apportioned from the State School Fund, and \$3,192,470.00 from the State General Fund.

The latter amount represents the monies that are now raised by the Retail Sales Tax, and which were formerly levied upon real estate in Alameda County. \$2,738,252.12 will be used for elementary school purposes and \$2,635,157.81 for high school purposes.

These sums will be paid to the County of Alameda in ten equal installments. The first installment will be received in September 1938.

## PETERSON TRACTOR FIRM MOVES HEAD OFFICES TO HAYWARD

In keeping with their policy of giving the agricultural trade the best service possible, the Peterson Tractor & Equipment Company, distributors for the Caterpillar Tractor Company, John Deere Plow Company and various other lines of allied equipment have just announced the removal of their executive offices from San Francisco to 645 Watkins Street, Hayward.

According to Carl E. Danielson, vice president, this move will enable the management to keep in close touch with their many customers as well as better supervise

## EVERY SATURDAY NIGHT

### Public Dance

Sponsored by Veterans of  
Southern Alameda County  
PALOMAR BALLROOM  
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Bill Proeger and his  
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the activities of the 70 employees of the organization so that all customers can be assured the best and most efficient service that it is possible to render.

## CIVIL SERVICE TO HOLD EXAMINATIONS TO FILL POSITIONS

The United States Civil Service Commission has announced open competitive examinations for the positions listed below.

For these examinations, applications must be on file with the Civil Service Commission, Washington, D. C., not later than August 18.

Senior Attorney, \$4,600 a year, Attorney, \$3,800 a year, Bureau of Motor Carriers, Interstate Commerce Commission.

Safety Inspector, \$2,600 a year, Bureau of Motor Carriers, Interstate Commerce Commission.

Electroplater, \$1,860 a year, Branch of Buildings Management, National Park Service, Department of the Interior. (For appointment in Washington, D. C. only.)

Hospital Librarian, \$1,800 a year Veterans' Administration.

Full information may be obtained from J. S. Cull, Secretary of the U. S. Civil Service Board of Examiners, at the post office.

## VETERAN FIREMEN WILL HOLD PICNIC AT HISTORIC MISSION

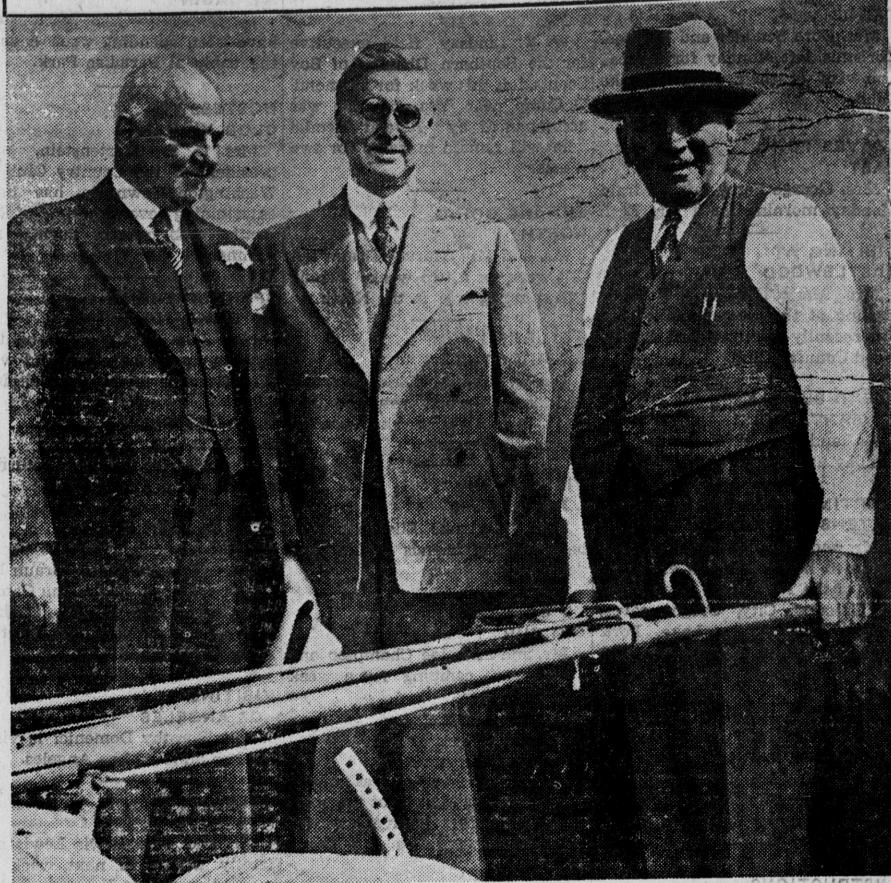
Historic Mission San Jose in the heart of Washington Township will be the gathering place for some 3,000 firemen, families and friends on Sunday August 14. It will be the Tenth annual picnic of the Veteran Firemen's Association of Alameda County according to E. H. Clough, president.

Supervisor George A. Janssen a past president of the association and a former chief of the Melrose Volunteer Fire Department has been named general chairman in charge of arrangements.

Janssen announces a program featuring dancing, athletic events, swimming and gate prizes will be presented.

Committee chairmen include Andrew Giambroni, reception; George Lloyd, dancing; J. F. Sandy, music; W. J. Kloos, gate; Fred Wagner, coffee; George Planer, ice cream; Sam Short, athletics;

## GOVERNOR MERRIAM BREAKS GROUND FOR 1939 EXPOSITION PRESS BUILDING



In the presence of a representative group of newspapermen and exposition officials, Governor Merriam broke ground on the site of the Golden Gate International Exposition Press Building on Treasure Island. Costing \$50,000 the structure will be the headquarters for newspapermen from all parts of the world who will handle exposition news. The Chief Executive is shown at the tractor helm with Mayor Rossi of San Francisco (left) and Mayor McCracken of Oakland.

Jacob Frey, publicity; Frank Merrett, gate prizes; John C. Petersen, grounds; J. J. Mulgrew, finance; W. E. Bullock is treasurer of the association. Special buses will convey many of the guests from the county seat states Supervisor Janssen.

## OFFICER GETS

### BIG BUCK

NEWARK—Deputy Sheriff George Wisner was among those who

bagged a buck on Monday.

## JUVENILES IN NEED OF CRIME PROTECTION SAYS JOHN A. GRENAN

"Crime prevention, particularly among juveniles, has become the watchword of alert authorities everywhere," said John A. Grenan, candidate for District Attorney of Alameda County, in addressing a recent meeting of the

Rotary Club of San Leandro.

"It should be the aim of the District Attorney to remove the occasions of crime from the paths of the young, and thus check in the beginning, tendencies which may tend to ruin the lives of useful citizens."

"Religious and fraternal organizations would do well to proceed in a spirit of cooperation in an ex-officio manner to aid this crime prevention movement."

# SAFEWAY - MACMARR

Specials for Friday and Saturday, August 5th & 6th

SHRIMP 2-5 oz. cans 25c  
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SALMON 2 No. 1 cans 19c  
PINK—at a real bargain price

SYRUP 2-1 1/2 lb. cans 25c  
KARO—red or blue label

SUGAR 10 lbs. 47c  
Fine Granulated CLOTH or PAPER BAGS

DOG FOOD  
4 No. 1 cans 17c  
Victory or Hi-Test

Produce  
LETTUCE 2 for 5c  
Large, solid heads

MARGARINE  
2 lb. pkgs. 23c  
For table or cooking use

P'NUT BUTTER  
2 lb. Jar 22c  
Real Roast brand smooth and good

TOMATOES 4 lbs. 10c  
for  
Fine for slicing

JELLO  
2 pkgs. 9c  
For dessert—all flavors

CAKE  
2 cuts 19c  
Silver Layer  
Assorted flavor icings  
(Sheet 55c)

BELL PEPPERS 4 lbs 10c  
BANANAS lb. 5c  
APPLES 3 lbs. 10c  
for  
Gravenstein

CHEESE  
lb. 17c  
Mild, rich Cheddar

FLOUR 49 lb. bag \$1.23c  
El Grande — all purpose. 98 pound bag \$2.29

CORNER BEEF 12 oz. 16c  
CAN  
Libby's—fine grained

COFFEE lb. 19c  
NOB HILL or MacMARR

TOMATOES 3 No. 2 1/2 cans 25c  
Westgift—SOLID PACK

## Niles Theatre

FRI. and SAT. AUG. 5-6  
"THE SAINT IN NEW YORK"  
with Louis Hayward, Kay Sutton, Jonathan Hale  
"FORBIDDEN VALLEY"  
with Noah Beery, Jr. and Robert Barrat

SUN. and MON. AUG. 7-8  
"JOSETTE"  
Don Ameche, Simone Simon  
"LITTLE MISS THOROUGHbred"  
with John Littel, Ann Sheridan.

WED. and THURS. Aug. 10-11  
"YELLOW JACK"  
with Robert Montgomery and Virginia Bruce  
"THE MAIN EVENT"  
with Robert Paige and Jacqueline Wells

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